

CLASS OF 1889

THIRD ANNUAL BULLETIN 1916-1917

[NOTE. The Class Secretary hopes to issue a bulletin similar to this each June, containing Class news for the preceding year. He hopes the Class will co-operate by freely furnishing news. The extent to which the Class is working with the Secretary is shown by the fact that over one-third of its members filled out the circular this year.]

DEATHS.

FRANKLIN EDDY PARKER, at Bay City, Mich., September 4, 1916.

MARRIAGES.

F. S. GOODWIN to JULIET B. HIGGINSON, September 27, 1916.

G. B. SALISBURY to Mrs. EUGÉNIE DE RAUNBOUVILLE, March 3, 1917.

BIRTHS.

A. GOADBY:

William Morgan Goadby, May 27, 1916.

V. M. HARDING:

Beatrice Louise Harding, October 28, 1916.

W. F. RICHARDS:

Katherine Richards, March 27, 1917.

NEW ADDRESSES.

BUSINESS.

W. ATKINSON, 105 Mystic Avenue, Somerville, Mass.

G. P. BUTTERS, 538 Argyle Avenue, Westmount, Quebec.

C. L. CASE, 114 State Street, Boston, Mass.

C. GREENE, 11 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

E. W. HAWLEY, 525 New York Life Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

P. M. LYDIG, 74 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

J. M. MARVIN, 3 Apley Court, Cambridge, Mass.

M. W. RICHARDSON, 67 Milk Street, Boston, Mass.

E. WARDMAN, *The Sun*, 150 Nassau St., New York, N.Y.

HOME.

W. ATKINSON, 22 Fellsway West, Winter Hill, Mass., also Boxford, Mass.

P. BARTHOLOMEW, 200 W. 71st Street, New York.

C. C. BATCHELDER, care of Mrs. T. S. Woods, 7 Ivy Street, Fenway, Boston, Mass.

C. B. DUNLOP, Carmen Avenue, Scarsdale, N.Y.

ARTHUR GOADBY, Lynbrook, N.Y.

F. S. GOODWIN, Dover, Mass.

V. M. HARDING, 789 Burr Avenue, Hubbard Woods, Winnetka, Ill.

F. O. RAYMOND, 34 Sheridan Street, Haverhill, Mass.

W. S. SCOTT, 150 East 65th Street, New York, N.Y.

CLASS MEETINGS.

An informal dinner of the Class was held at the University Club, June 21, 1916,—the following forty-three being present: Brewster, Bunker, Burdett, Burr, Caner, Coulson, Crocker, Darling, Durfee, Dorr, Farquharson, Faxon, Grew, Hall, Hathaway, Hight, Hodges (W.T.), Holliday, Jennings, Joline, Latimer, Maynadier, Monro, Moore, Morse, Newell, Olmsted, Parker, Phelps (J.S.), Potter, Prescott, Proctor, Raymond, Reynolds, Richardson (M. W.), Ropes, Saltonstall, Slattery, Stone, Taylor, Townsend, Ward, Weld (B. C.). Darling presided, and particularly interesting speeches were made by W. L. Monro and F. E. Parker. Farquharson turned up from San Francisco for the first time in twenty-seven years. The Class Secretary at the date of the dinner was in Dawson, Yukon Territory, in Canadian Alaska, and sent a telegram to the Class which, owing to the stupidity of the telegraph company, was not delivered. At Hollis 12, on Commencement Day, the following 38 were present: Bigelow, Brooks, Bunker, Burdett, Burr, Caner, Cogswell, Coulson, Darling, DeBlois, Durfee, Farquharson, Goodwin, Grew, Hathaway, Hight, Hodges (W.T.), Holliday, Jennings, Joline, King, Maynadier, Merrill (J.W.), Monro, Morgan, Morse, Newell, Olmsted, Parker, Perkins, Perry, Phelps (J.S.), Raymond, Ropes, Saltonstall, Thayer (F.W.), Townsend, Whitney.

CLASS NEWS.

O. M. Anderson's son, Russell Vance Anderson, died in August, 1916, at the age of twenty.

W. Atkinson is now Treasurer of The Vacuum Co.

J. Balch has been made Treasurer of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.

A. G. Barret was elected in November, 1916, member of the Louisville Board of Education for a four-year term.

P. Bartholow is in the Medical Reserve Corps, and is applying for a commission.

R. E. Basset has published "Spanish Grammar" (July, 1916).

C. C. Batchelder resigned in March, 1916, as delegate of the Secretary of the Interior of the Philippine Islands, and started in June, 1916, on an extensive tour in China, India, and Japan. He wrote last October: "I am now on my way to Indo-China, Siam, Singapore, Java, Burmah, and India. I had a wonderful experience as chief of the wild tribes, and while visiting a Government employee in China I had a good insight into the tangled web of Oriental politics. I have acquired much interesting information regarding Oriental political and economic conditions. On the whole, it has been an unusual opportunity. With best regards to yourself and to any members of old '89 that you may meet."

W. R. Bentley is registered for war work in the census of chemists.

A. Burr was at Plattsburg in 1915 and 1916 and at Fort Oglethorpe in 1916. He is devoting most of his time to the Boston Metropolitan Chapter of the Red Cross.

R. W. Bush served on the Mexican border, July to November, 1916, as Captain of Troop C, Squadron A, Cavalry, N.G., N.Y. He resigned from the service, November, 1916, after twenty years' active duty in Squadron A. He writes: "I am taking part in the war in a civil capacity at present, but should prefer military duty."

R. C. Cabot was one of the founders of The American Rights League and Secretary of the Boston Branch. In January, 1917, he made a tour of the Central West to arouse sympathy for the Belgians, and spoke in Buffalo, Columbus, Cleveland, Indian-

apolis, Chicago, Detroit, and St. Louis. He was also member of the Committee of the Citizens League for America and the Allies. He is head of the medical staff, with rank of major, of Base Hospital No. 6, recruited under the auspices of the Massachusetts General Hospital, which will sail for France this June.

C. L. Case is Treasurer of the Pressure Proof Piston Ring Co.

G. D. Chase is Vice-President of the Maine Democratic League, and on the Home Guard in Maine.

C. Copeland writes that he is "peacefully engaged at present in manufacture of powder." He is Vice-President, Harvard Club of Delaware.

C. B. Davenport has published "The Form of Evolutionary Theory that Modern Genetical Research seems to Favor" (*Amer. Nat.*, August, 1916); "The Personality, Heredity and Work of Charles Otis Whitman" (*Amer. Nat.*, January, 1917). His son, Charles Benedict Davenport, Jr., died in the summer of 1916, from poliomyelitis.

G. L. Deblois has been elected director of the Commonwealth Trust Co.

R. E. N. Dodge is President of the Harvard Club of Madison, Wis.

C. D. Farquharson was at Commencement and the Class Dinner in 1916,—the first time since 1889.

A. Goadby has written "Forest Taxation" (in *New York Forestry*, July, 1917).

R. N. Durfee's son, R. N. Durfee, Jr., '19, was elected News Department Editor of the *Harvard Crimson*, in April, 1917.

J. N. Goodale has been elected President of the Amer. Laryngological Association.

M. L. Gerstle is Captain in the Reserve Corps, Quartermasters' Department, U.S.A., and expects to be called to active service any day. For five years he has been on the Board of the National Training Camp Association.

C. Greene has applied for a commission in Engineers' Officers' Reserve Corps. Is a Scout Master in the Boy Scouts of America, with a troop of 75, and writes, "Find the work intensely interesting; believe this movement is of great benefit to the country and that more men should go into it." He has published "Wharves and Piers," pp. 248 (McGraw-Hill Book Co., 1917).

B. G. Gunther is serving in Home Defense Guard, New York.

J. R. Hayes has published "The Collected Poems of John Russell Hayes" (The Biddle Press, Phila.).

E. W. Hawley was defeated for re-election as Alderman last fall in Minneapolis, but initiated a contest suit which has been decided in his favor in the Minnesota Supreme Court. The Minneapolis *Journal* of June 9, 1917, says: "It is a timely rebuke that the State Supreme Court administers by its opinion in the Hawley-Wallace case, denying the validity of the aldermanic election in the Second Ward of Minneapolis last November. James F. Wallace, the successful candidate, is held to have participated in and profited by the circulation of false charges reflecting on the honesty and fidelity of Edward W. Hawley as an alderman. Having thus violated the corrupt practices act, he is now deprived of his office. . . . Now the Second Ward is to have opportunity to redeem itself by sending back to the Council the best Alderman the City ever had, namely, Edward W. Hawley. He is unusually intelligent, conscientious, and energetic. The Second Ward is lucky to have such a citizen ready to serve it and the City—and Mr. Hawley has done both."

P. F. Hall has published "Massachusetts Business Corporations," 3d Ed.; "Digest of Spirit Teachings" (*Journal Amer. Soc. for Psychical Research*, December, 1916, January, 1917); "The Menace of the Three-Decker" (*Proc. Nat. Housing Ass'n*, 1916).

F. E. Haynes has published "Third Party Movements since the Civil War, with special reference to Iowa" (State Hist. Soc. of Iowa, 1916).

V. M. Harding has registered with the Naval Recruiting Officer. He writes: "Mrs. Harding and I regret exceedingly that we cannot attend the 28th Anniversary. After our experience at the 25th Reunion, we shall always think of the Class of 1889 as a big family,—our family. As for this war, which centres all our thoughts, my classmates, we of 1889 are all too old to serve, yet many of us have sons old enough to go. For such, I feel the greatest envy, and wish that my two boys were also old enough to serve their country. For 'tis an honorable fight and one to be proud of having a part in. We have striven as a nation to keep out of the conflict, but national honor and the interests of humanity demand that we submit no further. In this connection, the advice of old Polonius to his son in 'Hamlet' about meets my idea of what should guide us. He says:—

'Beware
Of entrance to a quarrel, but, being in,
Bear't that th' opposed may beware of thee.'"

T. S. Hathaway is Chairman of the Committee of Public Safety of New Bedford.

G. H. Holliday has been elected President of Advisory Council and member of Executive Committee of Boston Home and School Associations.

J. E. Homans has published "Homans' Automobile Handbook" (N.Y., 1916); "Homans' First Principles of Electricity" (N.Y., 1916).

M. D. Hull was a candidate for the Republican Nomination for Governor in Illinois in 1916. He is still a member of the Illinois Senate.

L. Hulley was elected in April, 1917, President of the Florida Bankers Association.

R. Isham is a director in the National Red Cross. He has built a house in Santa Barbara, Cal., and started to develop a stock farm in Antelope Valley, Cal., adjoining large tract developed by G. F. Weld, '89. His son, Albert Keep Isham, has given and equipped an ambulance for France, and is also interested in army Y. M. C. A. work.

O. C. Joline is serving in the Home Guard in Connecticut; also working a farm of about 50 acres.

H. T. Kellogg writes: "Am farming it extensively and would gladly go if called."

E. N. Kirby is now minister of the Congregational Church at Jamesport, Long Island, N. Y.

G. W. Lee has published "The Stone & Webster Library System" (Amer. Elec. Ry. Ass'n, 1917). He writes: "Am hammering away at the idea that every local public library should know who's who in the community and what is his specialty, so as to have men as well as books as sources of information."

P. M. Lydig was one of the organizers of the American Ambulance in Russia; has served eight months as special assistant to the American Ambassador at Petrograd, making inspection tours of German and Austro-Hungarian prisoners of war in Russia. Will re-enter American Army, if commissioned. One of the directors of the Lafayette Fund for sending kits to French soldiers in the trenches. Had an article on Russia in the *New York Sun* of April 23, 1917.

W. R. Marsh has been elected President of Headmasters Association.

J. W. Merrill attended Plattsburg Camp, September-October, 1916. Serving now in Massachusetts Home Guard. Has taken examination for Quartermasters' Reserve Corps, U.S.A.

W. W. Magee was re-elected to Congress in November, 1916, as a Republican.

W. L. Monro writes: "I am sorry that circumstances have not permitted me to take an active part in doing something toward the conduct of the war. The only thing I have been able to do has been to point out at a number of conventions of business men how inadequately the people as a whole contemplate the seriousness of the country being at war. My experience in Europe at the outbreak of the war, in 1914, enabled me to form a very adequate idea of the enormous task confronting the people of this country, and I have been endeavoring to convey that idea whenever possible."

C. H. Moore has published "The Religious Thought of the Greeks" (Har. Univ. Press, 1916); "The Department of Classics" (*Harv. Grad. Mag.*, December, 1916).

J. P. Nields writes that he intends to enlist as a private in any regiment which will take him.

F. E. Parker died September 4, 1916, at the age of forty-nine, at his former home in Bay City, Mich. He was shot from behind by footpads about ten o'clock at night on September 3, and lived less than twenty-four hours. Parker's enthusiasm and his service to the Class can never be forgotten; his hearty fellowship and real devotion will be sorely missed at Class meetings. He was a genial comrade, a high-minded, successful, representative American business man; a true Harvard son; and a good citizen.

R. F. Perkins is on Framingham Committee of Public Safety, and in a training company, State Guard.

A. C. Potter's daughter, Elizabeth, is doing relief work in Paris.

O. Prescott is member of the Massachusetts State Committee on Public Safety.

J. H. Proctor was at Plattsburg in 1915 and 1916, and has taken his examination for Quartermasters' Officers' Reserve Corps.

F. O. Raymond's wife, Georgia E. (Jacques) Raymond, died March 22, 1917.

G. A. Reisner's work on excavation in Dongola, Egypt, was interestingly described at length in the *Harvard Alumni Bulletin* for December 7, 1916.

M. W. Richardson has examined physically about 200 Plattsburg recruits; has published "The Rat and Infantile Paralysis. A Theory" (*Boston Med. and Sur. Journ.*, September 21, 1916).

J. H. Ropes writes from Colorado Springs: "Since February 1, 1917, have been in the West as Harvard Exchange Professor at Grinnell College (Iowa), Colorado College (Colorado Springs), Beloit College (Wisconsin), Knox College (Galesburg, Ill.), and Carleton College (Northfield, Minn.)." From another source I have received a copy of the *Grinnell College Review*,

which writes of Ropes as a man of wide culture and accurate learning: "Professor Ropes is a man of wide culture and accurate learning. He is cordial in manner, a delightful conversationalist, and showed himself appreciative of Grinnell's life and ideals. His presence in our college circle during February reminded us again of the value of the exchange plan. Each year has brought to us a man of different type. We are glad that Professor Ropes was with us. We shall not soon forget his words or his cordial personality." He has published "Good Will to Men" (*Har. Theo. Rev.*, January, 1917).

G. B. Salisbury's daughter is doing relief work in France.

R. Salisbury has been elected Assistant Secretary, Title Guarantee & Trust Co., New York. Is member of Home Guard of Orange, N.J.

C. M. Saville has been designated by the Governor to advise on emergency work relating to water supply in Connecticut. He is President of the New England Water Works Association. Has given a course on contracts and specifications to graduate Students at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

W. S. Scott is to sail on June 23 for France on hospital supply work.

W. H. Siebert has been elected Fellow of the American Geographical Society; has published papers on "The Loyalists of New Hampshire," "The Loyalists of Connecticut," and "The Loyalists of Pennsylvania,"—also "The Justice of Granting Autonomy to Armenia" (*The New Armenia*, November, 1916). He is a member of the Council of Associated Harvard Clubs.

E. E. Shumaker has written "The United States and World Salvation" (*Congregationalist*, April, 1917). He has resigned as minister of the Shawmut Congregational Church in Boston, to devote his time to literary work.

J. H. Sears is Chief of the Division of Information of New York State in Albany, on defensive war work.

P. S. Sears was at Plattsburg in 1916.

M. A. Taylor has been re-elected Treasurer of New England Federation of Harvard Clubs.

P. D. Trafford has been elected Corresponding Secretary of the Association of the Bar of the City for New York, for a second term.

R. D. C. Ward is giving instruction in Meteorology in the new school for aviators recently established by the War Department at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He addressed the American Genetic Association in New York, December 27,

1916. In the passage of the Immigration Act of February 5, 1917, containing the illiteracy test clause, Ward witnessed the fruition of twenty-three years of work on a subject on which he has become one of the leading authorities in the country. P. F. Hall shares with him credit for this work. Ward has published "The Weather Factor in the Great War" (*Journal of Geography*, Vol. 15, November, 1916, April, 1917); "The Prevailing Winds of the United States" (*Annals Assoc. Amer. Geographers*, Vol. 6, 1917); "Immigration after the War" (*Journal of Heredity*, Vol. 8, April, 1917).

C. M. Thayer is Chairman of the War Committee of the Worcester Bar Association.

E. Wardman is president and publisher of *The Sun and New York Press* since July, 1916.

C. Warren among other matters, as Assistant Attorney-General of the United States, has had charge of the so-called "secret service" work in connection with German and Mexican activities and the enforcement of the neutrality laws prior to April 6, 1917. He has written: "Memorandum of Law on the Construction of Section 10 of the Federal Penal Code," relative to foreign enlistment; "Memorandum on the History and Scope of the Laws prohibiting Correspondence with a Foreign Government, and acceptance of a Commission to serve a Foreign State in War,—Section 5 and 9, Federal Penal Code" (reprinted as Senate Document 696, 64th Cong., 2d Sess.). Since the outbreak of war he has had full charge of the administration and enforcement of the President's Proclamation of April 6, 1917, relative to alien enemies, also of all questions coming to the Department of Justice relative to the war. He is Chairman of the Inter-departmental War Trade Committee, which drafted the Trading with the Enemy Bill, also the Control of Exports Bill. He also drafted the Act "To Punish Acts of Interference with the Foreign Relations, the Neutrality and the Foreign Commerce of the United States, to Punish Espionage, and Better to Enforce the Criminal Laws of the United States, and for Other Purposes" just enacted by Congress.

W. H. Warren is commissioned as Captain, Quartermasters' Corps, Officers' Reserve Corps. He attended Plattsburg Camp in August, 1916.

M. Whitridge is a member of the Naval Recruiting Committee and writes that Maryland was the first State to raise its quota.

SONS OF '89 IN THE GREAT WAR.

Alfred Lindley Butterworth is serving in the American Ambulance Corps in France.

Charles D. Case, '19, recently Captain Co. D, R. O. T. C., Harv., now at Plattsburg.

George C. Caner, '17, served in France on the Norton-Harjes Ambulance Service.

William Dexter, '19, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

Robert L. Goodale, '18, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

Harold H. Holliday, '19, is in Signal Corps Reserve Co. at Harvard, and expects to be called to active service.

Denison B. Hull, '19, is in R. O. T. C., Harv.

Benjamin M. Hulley is an Oxford Rhodes scholar, and is going into the Y. M. C. A. army work.

Albert K. Isham, '15, is in R. O. T. C. at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

Robert K. Leavitt, '17, is at Plattsburg.

Russell Leavitt, '17, is in Naval Reserve at Marblehead.

James Gore King, Jr., '20, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

Samuel P. Mandell, 2d, '19, attended the Thomas School at Ithaca for aviation.

John P. Marquand, '15, is at Plattsburg, training for commission in the Artillery.

William H. Meeker, '17, attended the Thomas School at Ithaca for aviation, and is now with the Lafayette Flying Corps in France.

John Lee Merrill, '19, Ensign in Naval Reserve at Marblehead.

William L. Monroe, Jr., '16, is at Plattsburg, training for commission in the Artillery.

Junius S. Morgan, '14, is commissioned as Ensign in the Naval Reserve.

William R. Odell, Jr., '19, is in R. O. T. C., Harv.

Gardner Perry, Jr., is with the American Ambulance Corps in France.

William D. Potter enlisted in the British Army, and in training camp in Perth, Australia.

Thomas E. Proctor, 2d, '19, is Corporal in First Corps Cadets, N. G. Mass. He was at Plattsburg in 1916.

Harrison G. Reynolds, '17, in 1916, 1st Sergeant Machine Gun Co., 8th Reg., serving on Mexican Border; January-April, 1917, Cadet Captain, R. O. T. C. Harv.; now at Plattsburg.

David L. Richardson, '18, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

Morton Allison Taylor, Jr., '19, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

Charles E. Thayer, 2d, '19, member R. O. T. C., Harv. Despatch Corps.

George E. Turnure, Jr., '20, served in American Ambulance Field Service in France.

Thorndike Saville, '14, is to be examined for appointment to Engineering Corps, U.S.A.

Brooks Shomaker, '19, expects to try for Plattsburg in August.

Henry De C. Ward, '20, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

Robert S. Ward, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

Aaron D. Weld, '18, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

George S. Weld, '20, member R. O. T. C., Harv.

[NOTE. Several other sons of '89 men have been reported to me as having tried for active service, but had been rejected for physical reasons. Others are doubtless doing or about to do their part for their country, but their over-modest fathers have failed to report. I hope such reticence will be overcome and that they will write to me of their sons' records.]

